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22 April 1968

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Morning Meeting of 22 April 1968

DD/I advised that DIA and CIA should reach agreement on strength figures in Vietnam within the next day or two and that the question will then be breaking the news to MACV.

DD/I reported that Friday's Agency-hosted brainstorming session with Ambassador Harriman on Vietnam and other matters went well.

DD/I noted a request from Under Secretary Katzenbach for a paper demonstrating evidence of the NVA presence in South Vietnam and indicated that [] will be the referent for production of the paper.

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Godfrey advised that rumbles over the weekend of an imminent enemy offensive against South Vietnamese cities have not as yet burgeoned into major enemy action.

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D/ONE advised that the Memorandum to Holders of NIE 11-14 should be ready in a week and that no major points of contention are foreseen.

D/ONE raised a question about the kind of 1968 issuance of NIE 11-8 which should be prepared, and the Director asked the DDCI to convene a meeting of the D/ONE, DD/I, and DD/S&T to determine an appropriate approach and format.

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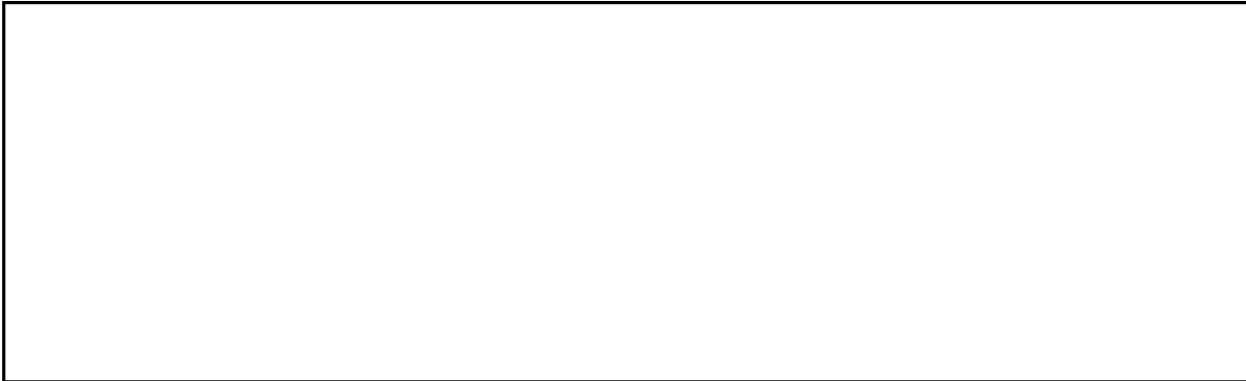
Carver noted that a map has been dispatched to Walt Rostow comparing the military situation which existed just after the Tet offensive with the present situation.

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DD/S&T reported that an SR-71 flight made two passes over North Vietnam last night and is scheduled to fly a single pass tonight.



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